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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application for: )  
Vasanthan S. Dasan )  
Serial No.: 08/360,997 )  
Filed: December 20, 1994 )  
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Examiner: C. Lewis  
Art Unit: 2307

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

*ll 10/1997*  
In response to the Office Action mailed October 10, 1996, Applicant submits  
the following remarks and seeks reconsideration thereof.

**REMARKS**

In response to the above-identified Office Action, no claims have been added,  
no claims have been canceled, and no claims have been amended. Accordingly,  
claims 1 - 26 are pending.

**Claims Rejected Under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b)**

The Examiner has rejected claims 1, 3 - 4, 6, 8, 10, 19, 21, and 24 - 26 under 35  
U.S.C. § 102 as being anticipated by Wheeler, U.S. Pat. No. 5,200,993. Applicant  
respectfully traverses this rejection.